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REPLY TO OFFICE ACTION

Sir:

In reply to the Office Action dated April 24, 2006, Applicants petition for a two-month extension of time, submit the requisite fee therefor, and request that the referenced patent application be amended as shown below.

Amendments to the Substitute Specification begin on page 2 of this paper.

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 4 of this paper.

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 9 of this paper.

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